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To:
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For the attention of Director 'A' BAIS ABRI

1. Main points

a. Information report from Sintel Kolakops Tim Tim dated 28 January 1991 about Tim Tim student elements in Denpasar and Surabaya helping the Australian journalist (Robert Domm) meeting with the GPK leadership in the bush of Tim Tim.

b. Gathering information among Tim Tim student circles in Denpasar.

2. As A result of information gathering among Tim Tim students in Den Pasar, the following information has been obtained:

a. From the circles of Tim Tim students/puplis organised in IMPETTU (Ikatan Mahasiswa Pelajar Timor Timur), a clandestine network has been established called RENETIL (Resistencia Nasional Des Estudents De Timor Leste - Resistance of Students & Puplis of East Timor).

b. It has been reported that the leader of RENETIL in Bali is Fernando Araujo, a student of the Faculty of Indonesian Literature at Udayana University, address jl. Tukad Banyusari no.1 Sesetan Denpasar; the aforesaid having once sought political asylum at a foreign embassy in Jakarta together with 4 other colleagues in June 1989. According to the information, the aforesaid went along as guide for the Australian journalist Robert Domm to meet XANANA GUSMAO in the Ainaro district in September 1990.

WAKA BAIS (Wakil Kepala Badan Intelijen Strategis) = Assistant Chief of the Strategic Intelligence Agency
ABRI (Angkatan Bersenjata Republik Indonesia) = The Indonesian Armed Forces
Sintel (Seksi Intel) = Intelligence Section
Kolakops (Komando Pelaksana Operasi) = Operational Command Special Military Command
Tim Tim (Timor Timur) = East Timor
IMPETTU (Ikatan Mahasiswa Pelajar Timor Timur) = Union of East Timorese Students and Pupils

c. Tim Tim students organised in RENETIL are among others :

1) in Denpasar Bali

a) Marciano Garcia, Faculty of Letters Unud (previously sought asylum)
b) Carlos Lopes, Faculty of Technics Unud (previously sought asylum)
c) Agapito Cardoso, Faculty of Technology Unud (previously sought asylum)
d) Anicato Lopes, Faculty of Law Unud
e) Benyamin O.H.R.S Martins, Faculty of Technics Unud
f) Jose Pompela, Faculty of Veterinary Sciences, Unud (former Chairman of IMPETTU).
g) Joaquin Gusmao, Faculty of Agriculture, Unud
h) Joselino, Faculty of Technology, Unud
i) Adelia (female) Faculty of Economics, Unud
j) Egas Alves, Faculty of Technology, Unud
k) Antonio Matos, Faculty of Economics, Undiknas
l) Arlindo Parada, Faculty of Economics, Undiknas

It is reported that many more have become member/sympathisers but the activities are very secretive.

2) in Jakarta

Teofelo, Faculty of Medicine, often visits foreign embassies, possibly as liaison (Holland, Japan, Australia, Swiss).

3) in Surabaya

a) Fransisco Cepeda, from Same, parents killed by TNI, Faculty of Political Science Unair, the aforesaid is most active in travelling from Surabaya – Denpasar – Dili and is believed to receive money regularly from Portugal via Australia in Denpasar.

b) Lucas da Costa, postgraduate student at the Faculty of Economics Unair Surabaya. There are strong indications that the aforesaid functions as ....

Unud = Universitas Udayana
Undiknas = Universitas Pendidikan Nasional
Unair = Universitas Airlangga
TNI (Tentara Nasional Indonesia) = Indonesian National Army

as the brains behind RENETIL activities or GPK Tim Tim clandestine activities outside the territory of Tim Tim.

c. Dominggus Sarmento jl. Siwalan I/18, Monocolo Surabaya is an infiltrant within the RENETIL organisation.

4) In Yogyakarta

a) Jose Luis, Academy of Tourism
b) Epidio, from Baucau.

5) In Salatiga

Manuel Abrantes, Faculty of Law, Univ. Wacana.

3. The activities of the RENETIL group include among other things:

a. Influencing students from East Timor by giving them the hope that the struggle will be successful, that Tim Tim will be free from Indonesia.

b. Disseminating and reinforcing information about events in Tim Tim to the outside world, according to their own version, in the interests of politics and the struggle.

c. Contacting the International Red Cross/ICRC or other groups abroad by telephone, letter and by other means, in order to send out information for the purposes of discrediting the Indonesian Government and to mobilise sympathy and support for the "struggle".

d. Dispatching various kinds of information by courier, journalists, foreign tourists who come to Dili, Kupang, Denpasar or other towns.

e. Disseminating and reproducing leaflets, news, and brochures as propaganda material to win sympathy and for the guidance of cadres among students and schoolpupils in Tim Tim.

f. When on vacation in Dili, they often make contact with pupils of SMP Externato Balide Dili.

4. Locations in Denpasar that are frequently used for gatherings are:

a. Jln Halmahera No. 35, Denpasar

b. Jln Tukad Banyusari No. 1 Sesetan Denpasar.

c. Jln P. Ambon Gang Marmut, at the lodgings of Sdr. Joselin.

5. The following measures are being undertaken by the security apparatus:

a. To continue to monitor and detect their activities, both directly (Ap Intel) as well as through networks within the organisations (Impettu and Renetil)

b. To investigate the activities and contacts by foreigners (journalists and tourists) who make connections with RENETIL elements.

c. To give guidance to members of Impettu so that they are not influenced by the activities of the elements and groups that are associated in RENETIL.

6. This is for attention and further documentation.

On behalf of Commander of KODAM IX/UDAYANA
Chief of Staff
Assistant for Intelligence

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Copies to

1. Asintel Kasum ABRI
2. Aspam, Chief of Staff of the Army
3. Pangdam IX/Udayana (as a report)
4. Pangkolakops Tim Tim
5. Dan Rem 161 to 164
6. Aster Kasdam IX/UDAYANA
7. Dan Den Inteldam IX/Udayana.

Asintel (Asisten Intel) = Assistant for Intelligence
Kasum ABRI (Kepala Staf Umum ABRI) = Chief of Staff of the General Staff
Aspam (Asisten Pemulihan Keamanan) = Assistant for Security Affairs
Pangdam (Panglima Kodam) = District Military Commander
Pangkolakops (Panglima Kolakops) = Commander of Kolakops
Dan Rem (Komandan Korem) = Subdistrict Military Commander
Aster Kasdam (Asisten Territorial Kepala Staf Kodam) = Assistant for Territorial Affairs of the Chief of Staff of Kodam.
Dan Den Inteldam (Komandan Divisi Intel Kodam) = District Intelligence Chief